IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
Plaintiff,)) 4:09CR3031)
v.)
MICHAEL KONING, LOWELL BAISDEN, SUSAN BAISDEN-KONING,) MEMORANDUM AND ORDER)
Defendants.)

As usual, Magistrate Judge Zwart has thoroughly and correctly analyzed the facts and the law, and, after de novo review, I adopt the judge's finding and recommendations (filing 111).

IT IS ORDERED that:

- 1. The finding and recommendations (filing 111) are adopted.
- 2. The defendants' motions to sever (filings <u>57</u>, <u>88</u> and <u>91</u>) and defendants' motions (filings <u>79</u> and <u>91</u>) to have Baisden tried first are denied.
- 3. The government's motion to consolidate (filing 71) is denied.
- 4. The objections (filings <u>112</u>, <u>122</u>, <u>124</u> and <u>126</u>) to Judge Zwart's findings and recommendations are denied.
- 5. This matter is referred to Judge Zwart for further progression.

DATED this 8th day of October, 2010.

BY THE COURT:

Richard G. Kopf United States District Judge